

Greetings,

This past week saw a flurry of activity on project-related activities, and you should expect to see crews hard at work for the next few weeks getting the downtown area concrete repoured and the utilities replaced north of Vine Street. Specifically, here's what the next couple weeks is looking like:

This week:

- Front Street to Coulee Road:
 - Storm sewer work at driveway to Lolo's Restaurant and a few other storm sewer structures nearby
 - Paving of Leverty Financial parking lot and trail along east side of 2nd Street
- Coulee Road to Vine Street:
 - Finish conduit boring operation for street light system
 - Begin pouring light pole bases on east side of the street
 - Begin pouring concrete curbs, sidewalks, driveway aprons, and pedestrian ramps on east side of the street
 - Potentially pour ½ of Locust Street concrete pavement on east side of 2nd Street
- Vine Street to Lake Mallalieu:
 - Continue water main and sanitary sewer between Vine Street and Myrtle Street
 - Sidewalks between River Street and Division Street
 - Xcel Energy will be doing some preparatory work on their gas main between Division Street and Lake Mallalieu that will likely shift two-way traffic to the west side of the street.
- North Hudson:
 - Finish storm sewer to half-way point between Michaelson Street and Sommers Street
 - Remove pavement, curbs, etc. north of half-way point between Michaelson Street and Sommers Street
 - Begin water and sanitary sewer work north of half-way point between Michaelson Street and Sommers Street

Next week:

- Front Street to Coulee Road:
 - Finish storm sewer work
- Coulee Road to Vine Street:
 - Continue concrete work on east side in downtown area. May finish such work this week.
- Vine Street to Lake Mallalieu:
 - Finish utility work between Vine Street and Myrtle Street
 - Grading for roadway between Vine Street and Myrtle Street
- North Hudson:
 - Water and sanitary sewer on north half of section between Michaelson Street and Sommers Street

Work schedule is dependent on weather and unforeseen site conditions.

The City, Village, WisDOT, and the contractor have been in discussions regarding the scheduling and sequencing of work between Division Street in Hudson and South Street in North Hudson. As it stands right now, the contractor is looking to close access to North Hudson during the second week of August

for utility work with the road reopening to traffic before Pepper Fest. Depending on the pace of the utility work, the road may close again after Pepper Fest is finished to complete the utility work. There are a lot of moving parts and time-sensitive operations to this schedule, so please note that the **schedule for work between Division Street and South Street is subject to change**. We will be updating this closure schedule weekly from now until the closure is complete. After the road is reopened, the road will be reduced to one lane taking turns using a temporary traffic signals at Division Street, North Street, and South Street and will experience significant delays during peak hours. Local traffic is intended to be rerouted back to 2nd Street (instead of 3rd Street) prior to September 1st. When local traffic is routed back to 2nd Street, Division Street will be blocked off east of 2nd Street to significantly reduce cut-through traffic on 3rd Street and Division Street. Through traffic will need to continue to use the signed detour route via Minnesota 95 as the roadway will still be under construction north of Division Street into the fall.

The milling and overlay work through downtown Hudson is dependent on the completion of the paving work north of Vine Street. Milling and paving operations downtown will likely occur in late August. The contractor has asked us to inform downtown businesses that the milling work will be dusty and that there is not a good way to eliminate the dust that will be generated by the operation.